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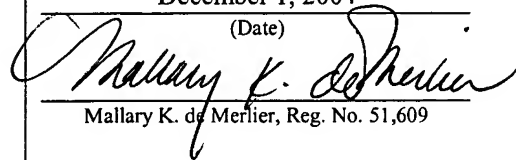
Applicant : Pinsker, J.S.
Appl. No. : 10/066,513
Filed : January 30, 2002
For : USE OF HISTAMINE AS A
DRUG DELIVERY ENHANCING
COMPOUND FOR USE IN
TRANSMUCOSAL OR
TRANSDERMAL DELIVERY
Examiner : Young, M.P.
Group Art Unit : 1615

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 3, 2004, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-captioned application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.